

Homeland Security Conference & 80th Annual Kentucky State Fire School Pre-Conference Brochure

State Fire School returns to downtown Lexington for the fourth year. New courses plus many of the old favorites await you for the June 2009 school. Emergency responders from all agencies are sure to find a course that fits their needs. Experienced and knowledgeable instructors from across the Commonwealth and beyond will be delivering a unique mix of hands-on, lecture, and discussion style courses that are designed to help you better serve your community.

You will have an opportunity to attend multiple classes, see the largest trade show in this field that Kentucky has to offer, enjoy cookouts, and refreshments each morning. All for a fee that is very affordable.

Conference-at-a-Glance

Wednesday, June 10, 2009

3:00 - 7:00 p.m.	Registration	(Entrance at Heritage Hall)
------------------	--------------	-----------------------------

Thursday, June 11, 2009

7:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.	Registration	(Entrance at Heritage Hall)
8:30 - 11:00 a.m.	Opening Ceremony	(Heritage Hall)
11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.	Lunch	
1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.	Class	

Friday, June 12, 2009

7:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.	Registration	(Entrance at Heritage Hall)
8:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon	Class	
12:00 noon - 1:00 p.m.	Lunch	
1:00 - 4:00 p.m.	Class	
4:00 - 8:00 p.m.	Exhibits Open	
5:30 - 7:30 p.m.	Cookout/Door Prizes	

Saturday, June 13, 2009

7:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.	Registration	(Entrance at Heritage Hall)
8:00 - 11:30 a.m.	Class	
10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.	Exhibits Open	
11:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.	Cookout/Door Prizes	
1:30 - 5:00 p.m.	Class	

Sunday, June 14, 2009

7:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.	Registration	(Entrance at Heritage Hall)
8:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon	Class	
12:00 noon - 1:00 p.m.	Lunch	
1:00 - 4:00 p.m.	Class	

KCTCS does not discriminate based on race, color, religion, national origin, sex, disability, or age in its programs and activities. The following person has been designated to handle inquiries regarding nondiscrimination policies: Director of Diversity Programs, 300 North Main Street, Versailles, KY 40383, Phone (859)256-3100.

Hotel Accommodations

Rooms are \$91 per night (government rate) and are blocked for "Homeland Security Conference and Kentucky State Fire School."

Lexington Downtown Hotel
and Conference Center by Hilton
369 West Vine St.
1-859-231-9000 or 1-877-539-1648 (ask for Kentucky State Fire School)
To book online go to www.lexingtondowntownhotel.com
and use Convention/Group Code: FIRE

Hyatt Regency-Lexington
401 West High St.
1-859-253-1234
1-800-233-1234



Registration

Pre-registration is highly recommended and completed registration forms with application fee will be accepted by mail prior to May 29, 2009 at the address below:

"State Fire School"
PO Box 700
Calhoun, Ky 42327

Fees

Pre-registration \$45
Late or on-site registration \$65
Exhibit & Trade Show FREE!
Cookouts FREE!

On site registration will be located on the ground floor (Level 1) of the Lexington Convention Center in the 'Heritage' Registration area. The Lexington Convention Center is a part of the Hyatt Regency/Rupp Arena complex and is directly across the street from the Lexington Downtown Hotel and Conference Center by Hilton. See "Conference at a Glance" for on-site registration dates/times.

All students must check in a registration to confirm seat in classes and receive other essential conference information including classroom locations.

All lead instructors are required to check in prior to start of class to obtain instructor packets and receive final instructions for completion of administrative forms.

Exhibits

The Exhibit Showcase is the largest show of Emergency Service Equipment in Kentucky. Exhibitors come from many states showing everything from Personal Protective Equipment to Fire Trucks.

In Observance of our promise to NEVER FORGET this year's Theme is "PATRIOTISM – A Salute to the United States of America, Our Flag and Our Armed Forces."

We will be recognizing our Emergency Services Personnel in the Commonwealth of Kentucky that not only serve to protect their communities but also our country in the many branches of the Armed Forces.

The Theme will be carried throughout the Fire School and Exhibit Area. Uncle Sam will be giving away flags to the first 500 attendees at the Exhibit Showcase.

Exhibitors will be decorating their booths in participation of the theme and will be awarded 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place for the best decorated booth.

Exhibits Open Friday Afternoon and Saturday



Cookout

The State Fire School Committee and Exhibitors host a COOKOUT on Friday evening and noon Saturday free to all attendees. The COOKOUT is located outside the end of the Exhibit Hall.

Door Prizes are given out during the Exhibits and Cookout.



Ronnie Day
Executive Director,
Kentucky Fire
Commission

Command Center

The conference will be managed on-site by an Incident Command System. Command and logistics are located in the 'Elkhorn Registration' space near main registration area.



Robert Hendricks,
Fire Chief,
Conference Host,
Lexington Division
of Fire & Emergency
Services

Course Grid

(X indicates days and R means it is repeated)

	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
100 - Homeland Security and Emergency Management				
101 - Homeland Security Exercise and Evaluation Course		X	X	X
102 - ICS 300: Intermediate ICS for Expanding Incidents		X	X	X
103 - "Meth" Lab Awareness	X			
200 - Fire Suppression				
201 - Aircraft Firefighting (Bluegrass Airport)	X	X	R	R
202 - Structural Firefighting (House Burn)	X	X		
203 - Rapid Intervention (RIT) and Mayday Operations	X	X	X	X
204 - Basic Firefighting	X	X	X	X
205 - Intermediate Firefighting - Bread and Butter Bootcamp		X	X	X
206 - Propane Truck / Bob Tail Truck Fires / Emergencies			X	X
207 - Pump Maintenance and Testing			X	X
300 - Emergency Medical Services				
301 - EMS Evaluator		X		
302 - EMS Instructor Orientation	X			
303 - EMT Refresher		X	X	X
400 - Special Operations				
401 - F.A.R.M. - Fundamentals of Agricultural Rescue Mechanics	X	X	R	R
402 - Heavy Rescue			X	X
403 - Elevator Emergencies		X		
404 - Fire Department Planning and Response to Weather-Related Emergencies				X
405 - Large Animal Emergency Rescue			X	X
406 - Confined Space Rescue		X	X	X
407 - Improving your Thermal Camera Operations			X	
500 - Officer Training				
501 - NFA - Incident Safety Officer			X	X
502 - NFA - Leadership I	X	X		
503 - NFA - Managing Company Tactical Operations-Decision Making			X	X
504 - ISO Grading Schedule	X			
505 - "Courage to be Safe"	X			
506 - Grants	X			
507 - Fire Commission Update (NFIRS & Workers Comp)				
600 - Arson, Prevention, & Education				
601 - NFA Arson Detection for the First Responder	X	X	X	
602 - Fire Scene Investigations	X	X	X	
603 - Legal Issues for Fire Investigations	X	X	X	
604 - Fire Alarms		X	R	
605 - Sprinkler Inspections	X	X	R	R
606 - Basic Chaplaincy	X			
607 - Advanced Chaplaincy/Firefighter Maintenance		X	X	
608 - Fire Prevention Officer	X	X	X	
609 - The Basics of Fire and Life Safety Education Programs		X		
610 - How to Start a Fire Explorer Program			X	

Homeland Security Conference and 80th Annual Kentucky State Fire School

June 10-14, 2009

Lexington Convention Center, Radisson Plaza Hotel, and Hyatt Regency Hotel

(DUPLICATE THIS FORM AS NEEDED) (PLEASE COMPLETE ALL BLANKS)

Department/Agency _____ Your Rank/Title: _____
Last Name _____ First Name _____
Home Address _____ City _____
County _____ State _____ Zip _____ E-Mail Address _____
FF ID # _____ or SS # _____
Day Phone _____ Night Phone _____ Fax _____

DEADLINE FOR PREREGISTRATION IS MAY 29, 2009

Class Selection

1st Choice - Class # / Name

2nd Choice - Class # / Name

Thursday _____ - _____
Friday _____ - _____
Saturday _____ - _____
Sunday _____ - _____

Check One: ☐ Volunteer ☐ Career ☐ Industrial ☐ Other _____

Check # _____
Prior to May 29 - \$45.00
After May 29 - \$65.00

Mail completed registration form with Application Fees to:

"State Fire School"
P.O. Box 700
Calhoun, Kentucky 42327

Make Checks Payable to: KCTCS-Kentucky Fire Commission

Only one name per registration form will be accepted.

Applications will be accepted through May 29. After May 29, all registrations will be entered at the conference registration desk in Heritage Hall.

Visit our website for the latest updates on the Homeland Security Conference and 79th annual Kentucky State Fire School. The website can be viewed at: kctcs.edu/kyfirecommission.

600 Arson, Prevention, and Education

603 Legal Issues for Fire Investigations

This course is the final and concluding level in arson investigations. This course shall emphasize on legal aspects, case preparations, trial procedures, and criminal enforcement. A mock trial is planned for Saturday morning, incorporating the Arson II class. **Prerequisite:** Arson Detection for the First Responder. The Fire Scene Investigations course, must be sanctioned by the Kentucky Chapter IAAI, a certificate or documentation must be provided at registration.

NOTE: This 3-day course will be offered Thursday through Saturday.

Limited to 30 students.

Lead Instructor: Paul Richwalsky, Attorney, Jefferson County Attorney's Office

604 Fire Alarms

This course will enable the Firefighter to have a more in depth understanding on why fire alarms are required and where. Also the operating functions that are available to the firefighter for elevator recall, Smoke evacuation systems, Firefighter phone service and more.

NOTE: This 1-day class will be offered Friday and repeated Saturday.

Course Approved for 6 hours continuing education for Fire Alarm inspectors and 6 hours for CAAK

Lead Instructor: Richard Peddicord, Assistant State Fire Marshal

605 Sprinkler Inspections

This course is designed to familiarize the Firefighter/Inspector with the operating principles of the different types of sprinkler systems. This class offering will include classroom instruction, discussion and field inspections. Industrial and other agencies will benefit from this class in understanding how a sprinkler system reacts when activated as the result of a fire.

NOTE: This 2-day class will be offered Thursday through Friday and repeated Saturday through Sunday.

Course Approved for 6 hours continuing education for CAAK

Lead Instructor: Bill Woodward, Captain (retired), Lexington Division of Fire and Emergency Services

606 Basic Chaplaincy

This one-day class will cover basic information that will partially fulfill requirements necessary to be considered a certified chaplain by the State Fire Commission. The class also serves as a great annual refresher for all fire Chaplains. Class covers basic duties of the Chaplain such as "Line of Duty Death," death notifications, FD funerals, benefits and much more.

NOTE: This 4-hour course will be offered 1:00 - 5:00 p.m. Thursday.

Lead Instructors: Lt. Stewart Dawson, Lexington Division of Fire and Emergency Services; Jeff Johnson, Lexington Division of Fire and Emergency Services; Dan Ennis, Kentucky Federation of Fire Chaplains

607 Advanced Chaplaincy/Firefighter Maintenance

Our greatest asset in the fire service is our people. We spend hundreds of thousands of dollars on equipment, technology, apparatus and buildings while investing very little in the person that actually does the work we are all called to do. Basic Chaplaincy prepares us for the major crises we all hope never happens. What do we do the rest of the time? In this two-day we will be exploring practical ways to take care of our brothers and sisters in the fire service as well as their families. How do we build up our fire fighters and their families so they can withstand the storms of life? - and then if or when the storm rages, how can we support these families in their time of crises? Completion of both Chaplain classes will fulfill all requirements to be a certified Chaplain through the State Fire Commission.

NOTE: This 2-day course will be offered Friday through Saturday.

Lead Instructors: Lt. Stewart Dawson, Lexington Division of Fire and Emergency Services; Jeff Johnson, Lexington Division of Fire and Emergency Services; Dan Ennis, Kentucky Federation of Fire Chaplains